

**CHAPTER NO. 75**

**SENATE BILL NO. 837**

**By Ramsey, Williams, Davis, Crowe, Burks**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 693

By Givens, Roach, Walker, Bittle, Sharp

AN ACT To amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-2-204, relative to hunting and fishing on farmland.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:


SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-2-204(b), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(b) Each person claiming a license exemption under subsection (a) shall provide identification and shall submit a signed statement attesting to the exempt status described therein and description of the land and name of the land owner when requested by an officer of the wildlife agency or upon presenting any game to a check station. Such statement shall contain information sufficient to demonstrate that such person has complied with the requirements of subsection (a). The commission shall prepare a preprinted form for the submission of such statements for convenience of use. Submission of false information in a signed statement is a Class C misdemeanor.

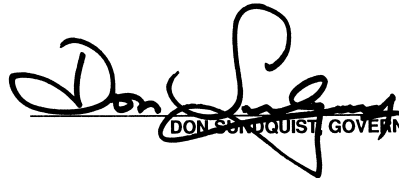
SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: April 5, 2001**

  
JOHN S. WILDER  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**APPROVED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 2001**

  
DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR